

I am strongly opposed to proposed rules that would make it easier for a single company to own multiple television stations and other media outlets. I believe that diversity of points of view and the free flow of information are crucial to effective democracy, and that the proposed rules change would work to severely undermine such diversity. Further, I believe that our airwaves are a shared common resource and that the concentration of that resource in fewer and fewer hands, along with the removal of the obligation to use that common resource for the common good, runs contrary to our country's stated and long-held democratic principles. Thank you for your consideration of my views.